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ESTROGENIC COMPOUNDS AS ANTI-MITOTIC AGENTS

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

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Response to Restriction Requirement and Preliminary Amendment.

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231 Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed January 28, 2002, Applicants respectfully request amendment of the application as follows, consideration of the newly added claims and consideration of the following remarks.

In the Claims

Please cancel Claims 1-25 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please enter the following new claims:

26. (New) A method for treating atherosclerosis in a human or animal comprising administering to the human or animal a composition comprising an effective angiogenesis-inhibiting amount of 2-methoxyestradiol.

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